

DRIFT OF SENTIMENT IN BERLIN TURNS TO AGREEMENT ON ALLIED REPARATION TERMS

PROMINENT ITALIAN JUMPSTO HIS DEATH

ROME, May 9.—Francisco Tedesco, former minister of finance and the treasury and vice president of the chamber of deputies, committed suicide today by jumping from a window. Signor Tedesco was suffering from nephritis.

The body was found early this morning in front of the former finance minister's residence by two policemen. The identity of the dead was not established, until the police had taken the body to a hospital, where the physicians recognized it as that of Signor Tedesco.

Jap Crown Prince To Be Entertained In England

LONDON, May 9.—Crown Prince Hirohito of Japan, today began a three weeks' visit in England under most suspicious circumstances. He landed in Portsmouth harbor this morning from the battleship Katori, being escorted to the shore by the Prince of Wales. British warships in the harbor thundered the royal salute when he left the deck of the battleship.

The prince proceeded to Buckingham palace, where he will be the guest of King George and Queen Mary for several days. Announcement has been made that the crown prince has been made an honorary general of the British army.

During the next week the royal visitor will visit points of historical interest in London and southern England and on May 19 will go to Edinburgh. He will return here late in the month, and will probably leave for France about June 1.

Compulsory Labor

Law Is In Effect

In Bulgaria

LONDON, May 9.—All classes of society in Bulgaria have been called upon to fulfill their civic duties under the provisions of the compulsory labor law, which was adopted a year ago. The law provided that men who had attained the age of 20 years, and girls who were 16 years old, were to be called upon for a certain amount of compulsory labor for the state. Men were to work 12 months and women six months, and none was allowed to emigrate, until duties imposed had been performed.

The number of persons coming within the scope of the law was 700,000, of whom 600,000 have been at work, the labor done comprising road making, sanitary service, digging of canals, street paving and the building of schools and reading rooms.

U. S. Has Placed Itself Irrevocably Alongside Its War Associates

Mrs. Stillman On The Stand



Mrs. James A. Stillman, photographed at a recent session of hearing before Referee Gleason in New York.

Admission of one of the letters from the Canadian guide to her in which he called her "dear honey," and the testimony of a doctor that she once stated the guide was the father of her child, have only served to make Mrs. James A. Stillman more determined to fight to a finish the divorce suit started by the multi-millionaire banker. Hearing on the divorce suit is now on in New York before Referee Daniel J. Gleason. The guide is Fred Beaumont, caretaker at the Stillman home at one time and guide for the Stillmans at their northern lodge near Three Rivers, Canada.

PROTEST TO UNCLE SAM OF CONDITIONS ON ISLAND OF HAITI

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9.—"The Memoir," prepared by delegates of the Haitian Patriotic Union protesting against political, economic and financial conditions on the island under American occupation, was presented today at the White House and the state department by H. Pauline Sannon, Steal Vincent, and Perceval Thobie, who said that they had trans-

mitted copies also to all members of the foreign relations and foreign affairs committee of congress. It was designed, the delegates said, to furnish officials here with "information as to the true situation in Haiti at this time."

Presentation at the White House and the state department was made through routine channels and the delegates did not see Secretary Hughes.

BOMBING PLANES Ready For Test

NEW YORK, May 9.—Two seaplanes, which for eight weeks have been professedly dropping dummy bombs on dummy battleships near the Rockaway naval station, have arrived at Hampton Roads, Virginia, where this week two German battleships are to be made targets in an aerial bombing test. The planes made the flight to the roads yesterday afternoon and news of their arrival was received here.

When a new treaty is negotiated, either with the Versailles pact as a basis or pattern, the Germans will get small comfort out of it. Irrespective of the league of nations controversy the Harding administration is carrying forward the policy of the preceding administration in endeavoring to cooperate with Europe for the benefit of the world.

Outlining U. S. Foreign Policy

The foregoing points are emphasized today as the national capital realizes that gradually President Harding and Secretary Hughes are defining American foreign policy along lines that are not altogether inconsistent with that of the preceding regime in Washington.

The passage of the Knox resolution by the Senate, hailed as a victory for the "irreconcilables" was short lived. That resolution which has not yet passed the House does not mean a separation of the United States from the allies. All such thoughts have been dissipated by the action of the government here in accepting the allied invitation for a resumption of the

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THE SERVICE TO SATISFY NEWS WHILE IT IS NEWS

Pickpockets

Complain Of Dishonesty

GENOA, May 9.—The chief of police of this city has received a letter signed "The Tramways' Pickpockets Association," complaining that the persons from whom they abstract pocketbooks, have "the dishonest habit" of invariably declaring to the police a much larger financial loss than they have really suffered.

They cite specific cases where one man, claiming to have been robbed of two thousand five hundred lire, only lost fifty, and another one reporting a loss of eighteen hundred lire when his pocket book contained less than two hundred.

The letter argues that such exaggerations are likely to cause unfortunate consequences and strained relations among the pickpocket fraternity, as when a member of the association turns in a few hundred lire when the loser claims to have lost thousands, the pickpocket is suspected by his colleagues of having retained the difference. "Alleged honest people should be more delicate," the letter ends.

Germany Plans The Control Of Zinc Metal

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 9.—Germany is taking active measures to once more gain ascendancy in the non-ferrous metal market of the world, and is only delaying her plans until the reparations question is settled, according to Stephen S. Tuthill, of New York, secretary of the American Zinc Institute, who addressed a convention of the organization here today. Mr. Tuthill uttered a warning to American producers that their trade is threatened.

He asserted that at present Germany and Belgium are conducting negotiations for a re-establishment of their former trade relations in the metal market. "The American Zinc Institute," the secretary said, "through private channels and confirmation in Washington, has obtained proof that Germany plans to re-establish her once famous Kartos or European convention syndicate control, better known as the metallgesellschaft, with headquarters at Hanburg and Lige and with offices in the principal cities of the world."

"The object will be to again obtain dominance over the non-ferrous metal trade, particularly zinc."

Striking Carmen Vote On Question Of Arbitration

AKRON, O., May 9.—Striking interurban street car men on the northern division of the Northern Ohio Traction and Light Company voted last night on whether to return to work and arbitrate their wage differences. Meetings of the strike in Akron and Canton were adjourned until this afternoon, when they will vote on a similar proposition.

A secret ballot was taken at the interurban men's meeting and the votes will not be counted until all other strikers have balloted. Sentiment among the interurban men is said to favor arbitration.

No cars will be operated on any part of the 130 miles of the Northern Ohio Traction lines, which have been tied up for four days as the result of the walk-out of the platform men.

Wholesale Executions Are Reported

STOCKHOLM, May 9.—Reports of wholesale executions by the Bolsheviks of participants in the Kronstadt uprising are contained in a private message from Helsinki to the Tihligen today. These met with immediate denial, however, from the Bolsheviks here.

The message asserted that several thousand of the Kronstadt rebels, among them hundreds of women and children, had been executed, but the soviet agency says that only thirteen persons leaders of the revolt, were shot.

Engineering and Metallurgical Meet

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Weds Titled Englishman



Sir William Dawson and his bride, who was Miss Margot Glyn.

S. Margaret's church, Westminster, London, was the scene of a pretty wedding recently when Miss Margot Glyn married Sir William Dawson. Miss Glyn is the daughter of Eleanor Glyn, the famous authoress, who has been in this country for some time writing for the movies.

McGANNON IS SUFFERING A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

CLEVELAND, O., May 9.—The state was prepared today to proceed with the trial of Mrs. Delta McInerney, indicted on a charge of subordination of perjury, including testimony given at the trials of William H. McGannon, former chief justice of the municipal court, for the murder of Harold C. Kagi.

Mrs. McInerney, it is alleged, procured Joseph Johnson to testify in behalf of the defense during the McGannon murder trials. Johnson, who is in the county jail awaiting sentence, following his plea of guilty to a perjury indictment, will be the principal witness against the woman.

The trial of McGannon, charged with perjury in the testimony offered at the Kagi trials, was scheduled to begin today. According to the doctor at the head of a rest sanitarium, the former judge will not be able to appear for trial for several weeks, as he is suffering from nervous prostration in the sanitarium.

It was announced that McGannon did not appear for trial today, a medical board of three physicians would be appointed by the court to report on his condition.

A \$6,000 bail bond, signed for the release of McGannon after his indictment for perjury was ordered forfeited by Judge Florence E. Allen when he failed to appear for trial today.

William E. Breen, McGannon's husband, appeared in court with certificates from two physicians, declaring McGannon too ill to stand trial.

Dr. Moretz Lowenthal, proprietor of a sanitarium where McGannon has been confined for the past ten days, declared he was treating the former jurist for a complete nervous breakdown.

Judge Allen appointed two physicians to investigate McGannon's physical condition for the state and report to the court this afternoon. If McGannon's condition is found to be as serious as his physicians report it is said that bond forfeiture will be set aside.

BATAVIA YOUTH KILLED

CINCINNATI, O., May 9.—Allen M. McAfee, 19 years old, Batavia, Ohio, farmer, was killed; Mary Young, 17, Norwood, was injured seriously and Alice McAfee, Allen's sister, was badly bruised when a north bound Big Four train hit the automobile in which they were seated, at a crossing in Lockland early today. Miss Young received fracture of her right leg.

Appeal For Disarmament Conference

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U. S. REPRESENTATIVE ATTENDS COUNCIL OF AMBASSADORS

Venizelist Official Sent To Prison

ATHENS, May 9.—Alexander Papastamou, minister of national economy in the last Venizelist cabinet, and Demetrios Lambrou, editor of the newspaper *Patris*, who were arrested last week for publishing an article urging the abdication of King Constantine, have been released. M. Papastamou, another official during the Venizelist regime, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment on the same charge. The Venizelist press severely criticizes the court's action in sending M. Papastamou to prison, declaring it to be an infringement of the right of free speech.

The American ambassador's appearance at the foreign office, where the council happened to be meeting this morning, was the occasion for warm expressions of appreciation on the part of Jules Cambon, of France, president of the council, and the other members of that body.

Ambassador Wallace was given a seat at M. Cambon's right.

The problem of Upper Silesia was the subject of the deliberations of the council this afternoon.

Roland W. Boyden, who formerly sat with the allied reparations commission at its sessions, has received his instructions from his state department to resume his seat with that body.

Mr. Wallace received his instructions last night from Secretary of State Hughes to represent the United States government at the ambassadorial conference.

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Dynamite Caps Explode; One Boy Is Killed; Six Injured

Explosion Occurred On River Bank Near Carlyle Place; Carl Newman, 15, Is Victim

THE KILLED

Carl Newman, aged 15, Carlyle Place. Right leg and part of abdomen blown away. Left arm fractured in three places.

THE INJURED

Tharold M. Carmichael, aged 13, Carlyle Place, right leg blown off below the hip. Multiple bruises and burns about the body. Left elbow fractured. May die.

Arthur Caldwell, aged 19, Carlyle Place, injuries on left side and bruises all over his body. Will recover.

David Bowman, aged 14, Carlyle Place, bruises about hands and arms. Doc Mowry, aged 17, Carlyle Place, bruises about back and arms.

Willie Caldwell, aged 14, Carlyle Place, bruises on face and hands. Raymond Bowman, aged 15, Carlyle Place, bruises on body and burns on right side of face.

One boy, Carl Newman, aged 15, was literally blown to pieces and six other companions were injured. Tharold Carmichael, aged 13, seriously, when dynamite caps in the pocket of Newman exploded with terrific force Sunday morning at 10:30, on the Ohio river bank near Carlyle Place, just east of New Boston.

The Newman boy's right leg and part of his abdomen were blown away and he only lived ten minutes after being conveyed to Hempstead hospital. Just before he died he was asked how the explosion occurred. "Don't bother me. My leg hurts me too bad. I know I am going to die, but don't tell mother," the injured youth replied and three minutes later his injuries proved fatal.

Tharold Carmichael was seriously injured, as his right leg was blown away just below the hip. He also suffered multiple bruises about the body and his condition is serious as he suffered greatly from loss of blood. When his father, Theo. Carmichael, reached him, his leg was hanging by a thread. The boy begged to be removed home, but was conveyed to Hempstead hospital, where his leg was amputated just below the hip by Drs. Walter and Carl Brauni, J. W. Daehler and W. A. Quinn. He rallied Sunday afternoon and his physicians say he has a chance to recover.

Boys Were Seated On Log

According to David Bowman, the boys were seated on a log on the river bank just opposite Carlyle Place when Carl Newman pulled out a cigarette and lit it. Lawrence and Ralph Carmichael, who were with the boys who were injured, were sitting on the grass in front of them. As Newman started to flip his cigarette stub afay, in some manner it lodged in his trousers pocket which contained the dynamite caps. Instantly there was an explosion and the boys were all blown off the log. Newman and Tharold Carmichael sat alongside of each other and both were seriously injured. The Newman boy dying shortly after reaching the hospital.

The cries of the boys attracted a large crowd and when neighbors reached the scene a pathetic sight met their eyes. The Newman boy was lying on one side of the log with his right leg blown away and the Carmichael leg was found on the other at the Carlyle-Labold plant and lies just west of it.

When Tharold man talked to Arthur Caldwell at the hospital and Raymond and David Bowman near their homes in Carlyle Place last night, they stoutly denied knowing that the Newman boy had any dynamite caps. They claim they saw Newman dip his cigarette stub away and as he did so it lodged in his pocket, which was a large and roomy one and an explosion followed immediately.

Boys Gather To Enjoy Big Swing

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The agonizing screams of the youthful victims could be heard for some distance and neighbors from all parts of that section flocked to the scene. A hasty call was sent for local physicians and after two had arrived at Carlyle Place the Newman and Carmichael boys and Arthur Caldwell were placed in ambulances and rushed to Hempstead hospital. After the Newman boy passed away there, 10 feet of fuse was found in his pocket. Not Known Where Caps Came From

Just how the latter got hold of the dangerous dynamite caps may never be known, but it is believed he found them in a box on the hillside, where the Carlyle-Labold company operates its shale bank. None of the injured boys claim they knew that Newman had any caps. They claim he did not say anything about having them or did not exhibit them to his companions. When asked at the hospital, where he got the caps, the Newman boy said he found them near the shale bank on the hillside, just above his home. Dynamite caps are used there to set off blasts in the shale bank, but they are always locked up and closely guarded. It is believed the Newman boy found the caps early yesterday morning as his companions say he did not have them Saturday.

Newton Newman, father of the dead boy, told a Times man last night that he would make a thorough investigation as to how his son came into possession of the caps. "I did not know he had them and do not see where he could have gotten them," Mr. Newman said last night. "When I reached my son his leg was hanging by a thread. The explosion was so great that I believe he must have had a small quantity of dynamite in his pocket." Mr. Newman is employed as a brick burner at the Carlyle-Labold plant and lives just west of it.

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Added Attraction "EDGAR'S LITTLE SAW"

One Of Those Good "Tarkington" Stories

Ashland Entertained Kentucky C. E. Convention

For three days, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Ashland, Ky., has been the host to the Kentucky State Christian Endeavor Convention which held its sessions in the Christian church of that city. The gathering was well attended. Delegations from all over the state were there in force and enjoyed the sessions to the fullest.

There were also delegations from Huntington, Trenton, and Portsmouth representing Christian Endeavor from the tri-state section. Those members from Portsmouth were Miss Julia Nickle and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Haight from First Christian church of this city.

The banner was carried away by the Highland Presbyterian Senior Endeavorers, while Mr. Vernon walked away with the Intermediate and Junior honors, with the little town of Wooton in Leslie county running a very close second for the Junior honors.

Most of the old officers were re-elected for the ensuing year.

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Mrs. Robert Spangler was shopping in McArthur Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Potts and son Harley of Potts Chapel were shopping here Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. Corbin and children, Charlotte Ann and Martin, were the Saturday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perry, in Wellston.

COLUMBIA

One Entire Week Starting Today

NOTICE! Judging from the great interest taken in this picture best theatres throughout this country to see it, I am of the opinion that it will take at least one full week to enable the people of Portsmouth to see this wonderfully human picture with Chaplin and "The Kid," Jackie Coogan.

Signed — Fred N. Tynes, Manager

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—has taken a partner in the fun business. It's Jackie Coogan, the Kid. They're the greatest combination of mirth-makers who ever got together; and the laughs that Charlie maybe overlooks come fresh and snappy from the kid. And would you believe us if we told you that here and there, through the six great reels of the biggest comedy the world has ever seen, there's a sob? It's a fact—and that's what makes the laughter bigger still.

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This is the first of a series of one reel special pictures showing the adventures of "Bob" and "Bill" (two boys) in mountain camp life.

Switchmen To Oppose Wage Cut

the switchmen will oppose any wage cuts on the ground that any reduction so far in the cost of living does not justify lower wage schedules.

Delegates represent all the principal cities and rail terminals throughout the United States and Canada.

SIX JURORS IN BOX

CLEVELAND, O., May 9.—Proposed reductions by railroad companies in all classes of employees will be one of the chief subjects of discussion at a convention of the Switchmen's of North America convening today for a two weeks' session. Basis of opinion among the early delegates indicates that

W. F. Sly and G. K. Fanner during a pay roll robbery December 31, last.

Wants Young Men To Attend Training Camps

WASHINGTON—General Pershing appealed to young men of the country to attend citizens' training camps this summer to help build a "trained citizen reserve organization to meet the emergency of war."

JACKSON NEWS

Mrs. Arnold C. Dickinson and three children of Lanesburg, Mass., arrived Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary D. Stephenson, on South street.

Miss Lava McGlue of Grant hospital, Columbus, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth McGlue. She expects to remain here until May 13. Mrs. McGlue returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaffer at New Castle, Pa., on last Wednesday.

Mrs. Miles Jones and Mrs. F. D. Ewing are spending the week end in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Roberts of Guthrie, Okla., arrived on Saturday evening to spend the rest of the month with his sister, Mrs. H. C. Miller. They left home on May 1st, but came by way of Chattanooga, Tenn., and stopped there for a few days, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hilt had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hilt of Circleville. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Madison of Columbus and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller of Union. The first are parents of Harold Hilt and Madeline's Madison and Miller are his sisters.

Ellis Parry came down from Columbus to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. John Branner of High street has been visiting her brother, John Myers of Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Williams have returned to their home here after spending the winter in Boston with their son, Ben Ames Williams and family.

Mrs. Albert Ulione entertained with a Mother's Day dinner, the guests being her mother, Mrs. J. M. McGillicuddy, Mrs. Ellis McClure of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McGillicuddy of Waverly and Mrs. Orland Booten of Delaware.

Mrs. Morris C. Smith and son, Ellis of South street are visiting in Portsmouth and Ironton with relatives.

Mrs. John Poetker is in Portsmouth being called there on account of the illness of her niece, Mrs. Helen Overstreet.

Arthur Blume of Ironton is visiting his Jackson friends.

Mrs. Will Johnson was hostess to the Pleasant Hour Club on last Monday evening.

Mrs. Mary D. Davis of South street reached her seventy-seventh birthday last Wednesday and her daughter, inviting in the members of her Sunday school class to spend the evening. It was a pleasant occasion. The teacher, Evan D. Morgan gave two poems and a song in celebration and the different members spoke. Mrs. Lewis and her daughter Nurse served tea cream and coffee.

Mrs. James Sullivan entertained the W. P. T. S. Club on Tuesday evening. Those enjoying the affair were Madames Arthur Davis, W. A. Clark, Lewis Estman of California and the Misses Rosalyn Cohen, Dorothy Lamb, Margaret Biggle and Lulu Ploger.

The Future Edwards Missionary So- ciety of the Welsh church held its May meeting with Mrs. Charles H. Jones, who was assisted by Misses Anna Morgan, Margaret Evans and Elizabeth Roderick. The program for the evening was as follows: Reading by Miss Elizabeth Roderick, Miss Margaret Evans, Miss Anna Morgan and Mrs. C. H. Jones; Solo by Miss Gwen- dolen Parry; Piano duet, Misses Hau- man and Esther Lloyd, after which refreshments were served, during the social hour.

Miss Maud Jones entertained the Font Table Auction Club on Wednesday with a luncheon, after which the afternoon was spent with auction by Madames Carl Summers, Frank De- lay, H. P. Hardling, John M. Martin, C. A. Stein, Simon David, W. O. Michael, David Armstrong, Charles H. Jones, W. A. Ridenour, Harold Hilt, Carl Forsythe, Harry Grace, John Edward Foster, Charles Chapman and Misses Florence Wilson.

The Young Woman's Missionary So- ciety of the Methodist church will meet on Tuesday evening, May 10, with Mrs. Fred Baesman on Posy Hill.

The Study Club sent a large number of magazines to the State Peni- tentiary lately, consisting of Harper, Scribner, Digest, Metropolitan and others and received an appreciative letter from the Chaplain, on behalf of the prisoners.

Court House

Deputy Sheriff Cherington was in Morris, Ill., near Chicago last week to bring back to Jackson Fred Overly arrested for non-support. He was bound over to the grand jury on a \$1000 bond.

\$5,000 Damage Suit

A petition was filed in Common Pleas court on May 4, by Roy Borland an infant, by George Borland, his next friend, against the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, which recites that plaintiff was fifteen years old on July 9, 1920, that the defendant company has a section foreman on its road and track between Bryan and Coalton, who employs the men in the track and that on July 28, 1920, the plaintiff was employed by said foreman at the wages of \$2.16 per day, notwithstanding that a railroad company employing any child under sixteen years of age, that plaintiff while at work and while assisting in carrying a large iron rail weighing several hundred pounds to replace a damaged rail, some of the employees who were helping endlessly let go and dropped the rail, jerking him and causing his right foot to slip off the guard rail and the rail dropped and caught his foot, cutting and severing it, and breaking and crushing the bones of the right foot, which has not healed and continuously pains him, that he has not been able to wear a shoe without having it split that his injuries are permanent and he is unable to perform manual labor and has incurred large expense in medical treatment. And asks judgment in the sum of \$2,000. John Robbins is attorney for plaintiff.

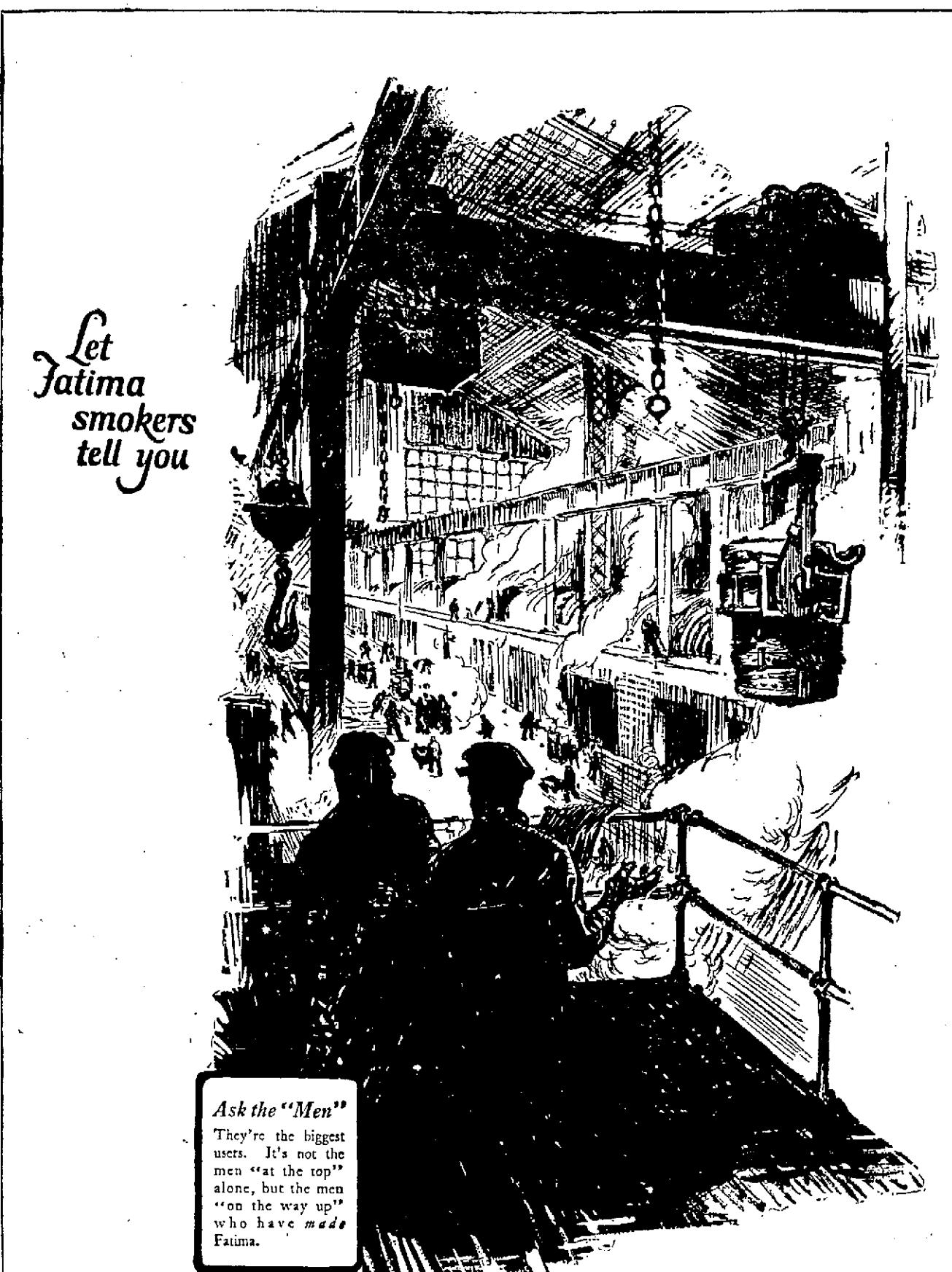
County Commissioners

On May 2, the Board of County Commissioners met and the following business was taken up. In the matter of the alteration and location of roads in Madison township petitioned for by J. A. Vincent et al. motion was made and carried that the County Surveyor be ordered to make and deposit with the Board a report, survey and plot of said road improvement before May 16, 1921.

In the matter of the establishment and location of road in Lick town ship petitioned for by Charles Booth et al. motion was made and carried that the county surveyor be ordered to make and deposit with the Board a report, survey and plot of the road improvement before May 16.

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One Killed In Auto Accident	UPPER SANDUSKY—Edward Wulff, 21, killed, wife seriously injured in an auto accident.	KILLS SELF
Belgians Occupy Strategic Points	WESELA, PRUSSIA—Belgian cavalry occupied strategic points east and west of Rihne in readiness for possible advance of allied armies into Ruhr region.	PARIS—Fourteen policemen and 23 Communists wounded when Communists attempted demonstration against celebration of anniversary of lifting of the siege of Orleans by Jean of Arc in 1429.

Alleged Mountain Bad Man Lynched HUNTSVILLE, PENN.—Berry Rollings, alleged "mountain bad man," lynched by fifty armed men for murder of Mrs. Mary Jane Harness last Tuesday.

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Beautiful Communion Services At Holy Redeemer Church

Sunday was truly a red-letter day for the Holy Redeemer parish. Many beautiful and impressive services have been held in the fine church. Sunday was exceptionally beautiful. An ideal May day; ornate adoration of the Sanctuary; forty little boys and girls dressed in white as the central figures of the scene; the church chimes ringing out their sweetest; the brilliant and inspiring music of the choir, and the large congregation present, all combined to make the day one long to be happily remembered.

The touching sight of the innocent and holy children devoutly receiving their first Holy Communion, not only moved the parents of the little ones, but the whole congregation were touched, even to moistened eyes, as the most sacred and happy memories

of their first Communion days were so realistically recalled.

In the pastor's remarks he substantially pointed out and stressed these points: In the light of divine faith, it is easy and pleasant for sincere and devout friends of the Savior, to let Him officiating in the first Communion service, as of old, on the eve of His crucifixion in the room of the Last Supper. The gracious Savior is here seen dispensed with His own sacred hands His own precious Body, the Bread of Eternal Life, to His highly favored little children.

Angels and Saints so highly endowed with divine grace and glory are truly representative of the dignity, sanctity and sublimity of God's Sacrament of Love. Filled with adoration and love these glorious spirits of heaven no

doubt smiled their sweetest smiles and fervently congratulated the innocent and holy children of their high privilege to participate in the Banquet of the Lord.

Holy Mother Church in committing her tender spiritual wards, at so early an age, into the infinite love and care of the Divine Master, is but wisely safeguarding their Baptismal innocence, holiness and happiness of childhood.

The Church, with motherly instinct, luminous faith, with vast and varied experience of human passion, confirms the ever present, wary and renewed their Baptismal vows. The pastor, having blessed their rosaries and prayer books, presented each first communicant with a large, luminous first Communion picture as a perpetual reminder of the happy occasion.

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WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND—BY BRIGGS

AH! EPSOM SALTS
LIKE LEMONADE

that Mr. Dresel the American commissioner in Berlin, will continue his negotiations for a treaty which may be necessary for the carrying on of relations between the United States and Germany. The department of state is very much pleased with the tact which Dresel has exhibited thus far and for the next several months anyway he will remain in charge of American interests in Berlin.

The determination to wait until a treaty is signed before sending an ambassador to Berlin will perhaps come as a disappointment to those who believed the Knox resolution would bring immediate peace between the United States and Germany. But the policy now is to regard that solution as simply a domestic affair—a repeat of the war laws on the statute books of the United States.

The Knox resolution is considered in the house incidentally there will be much debate over its form. As passed by the Senate it only declares a state of peace but it repeals the resolution by which America entered the war. Many Republicans feel that while a declaration of a state of peace is desirable, there is no necessity for repealing the original war resolution. Usually a treaty of peace acts as an automatic repeal of a war resolution. The specific repeal in this case, however, is looked upon as every dangerous consequence of a legal nature. The argument is made that such a repeal may invalidate many acts of the government done under the authority of the war resolutions. But fundamentally the objection to it is sentimental. Many members of congress believe it may be regarded as an expression of regret for the original declaration of war.

U. S. Has Placed
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partnership entered into during the war.

America Not to Send Ambassador

Indeed, the expectation that immediately after the passage of the Knox resolution the United States would send an ambassador to Germany is also without foundation. Senator Lodge himself stated to the Senate that the Knox resolution was a law and not a treaty. Until a treaty or agreement of some kind is entered into with the Berlin government diplomatic relations between Germany and the United States will not be resumed.

Technically, of course, there is no legal reason why the United States cannot send an ambassador to Berlin even before a treaty is negotiated and ratified. Many a precedent exists for such a procedure. But the government here realizes that the resumption of diplomatic relations with Germany carries with it more than a passing significance and conveys a moral effect of extraordinary importance.

Until Germany, for example, makes satisfactory settlement of the claims growing out of the striking of the Lusitania—subject to be fully covered in any new treaty with Berlin—it would be difficult for reasons of sentiment to send an ambassador to Berlin. That at any rate is the present feeling here.

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father of her child. Attorney T. C. Beatty represents the plaintiff and Attorneys B. F. Kuhle and W. L. Hostetter appeared for the accused.

Mefford Granted Divorce
On the grounds of neglect and infidelity, Charles Mefford, 13 Shirton street, was divorced from Ella Mefford by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Monday.

They were married August 6, 1912, and the plaintiff told the court that she neglected him and their home for the association of one Cleve Willie and he declared that finally in December 1918 she abandoned him and left with the other man for parts unknown. Attorney George W. Sheppard represented the plaintiff.

Suit On Note

A petition was filed in Common Pleas court Monday by The Land Office company seeking to collect a balance of \$10,000 claimed to be due on a promissory note and to foreclose a mortgage on the real estate of the plaintiff situated at 435 Ninth street.

The Royal Savings and Loan company, C. W. G. Hammann and The First National Bank are made party defendants to the suit and the court is asked to require them to set up interests if any, in the premises. The plaintiff sued through Attorneys Miller and Scull.

To Investigate Further
Evidence in the divorce suit of Florence Hall of High street, against James Hall, formerly of this city but now living in West Virginia, was heard Monday by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court and the hearing was then continued for further investigation.

They were married Dec. 20, 1907, and the plaintiff alleged infidelity. Testifying in support of her charge Mrs. Hall declared that he neglected her for the association of female friends and she stated that he constantly boasted of his conquests of other women. In addition to the wife sought to be restored to her former name of Fleids, she was represented by Attorney W. L. Dickey.

Offered for Probate

A will executed on August 28, 1918, by the late Milton G. McHugh, well known Eleventh street grocer, who died recently at his home in this city was filed for probate Monday in the office of the probate court.

Filed for Probate

A will left by Mrs. Elizabeth Stark of Twelfth street, who died March 23, 1921, was filed Monday for probate. The will was executed Jan. 6, 1914.

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COURT HOUSE

Wife Gets Divorce
Lillian Newman, of New Boston, was granted a decree by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Monday divorcing her from John Newman, steelworker, who also resides at New Boston, and restoring her to her former name as Crawford.

They were married on August 4, 1918, and the decree was granted on the ground of neglect. The case was submitted to the court sometime ago and was then taken under advisement. Attorney W. L. Dickey for plaintiff and Scull for defendant.

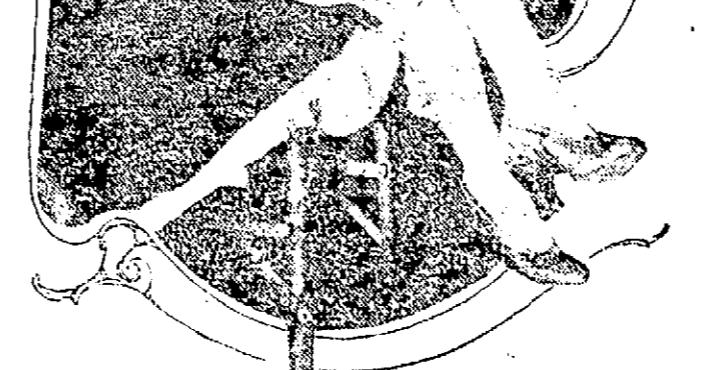
Damage Suit Settled
A settlement having been effected by the parties to the suit of Cora L. Harrison against The Portsmouth Street Railway and Light Company for damages for personal injuries she sustained some months ago when thrown from a street car at New Boston an entry dismissing the action was filed in the office of the clerk of courts Monday. The plaintiff sued for \$5,000 and compromised for \$200 it is said. The case was assigned to come to trial before a jury in Common Pleas court Tuesday morning. Attorney B. F. Kuhle for plaintiff and Attorneys Miller and Scull for the defendant.

Paternity Trial On
The paternity suit of Ethel May Ratcliff against Ray Ruggs came to trial before Judge Thomas and a jury in Common Pleas court Monday afternoon. Both parties live in the town of New Haven, near Rio Vista, and the complainant alleges that Ruggs is the

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No-To-Bac has helped thousands to break the costly, nerve-shattering tobacco habit. Whenever you have a longing for a smoke or chew, just place a harmless No-To-Bac tablet in your mouth instead. All desire stops. Shortly the habit is completely broken, and you are better off mentally, physically, financially. It's so easy, so simple. Get a box of No-To-Bac and if it doesn't release you from all yearning for tobacco in any form, your druggist will refund your money with out question.



Mlle. Evelyn Valle in her roof-tent room on top of the Hotel Nassau. Mlle. Evelyn Valle, Parisienne dancer, who has come to this country to introduce new dances on Broadway, found New York climate too stuffy and so she had a tent erected on the top of her hotel. Her novel apartment is equipped with every modern improvement, including electric light, telephone and running water. Mlle. Valle will appear shortly introducing the Portuguese Fado and Brazilian Caipirinha, her two new dances. King Alphonse of Spain declared his admiration for this pretty dancer when she introduced the shimmy in his country.

PINEAPPLES

The season is now here for canning pineapple. Buy them while we have a supply on hands.

24 size Cuban Pineapple, each 30 cents; per crate \$6.10

30 size Cuban Pineapple, each 25 cents; per crate \$6.10

PHONE 285

Kuhner's Cut Rate Grocery

WISCONSIN GIRLS
ENTER HAWAIIAN
HEALTH RESORT

Helen Baukin, above, and Dolores Frey.

Two prominent girls of Beloit, Wis., are going to forsake their home pleasures and comforts to enter the territorial health service in Hawaii. They are the Misses Helen Baukin and Dolores Frey.

They were married Dec. 20, 1917, and the plaintiff alleged infidelity. Testifying in support of her charge Mrs. Hall declared that he neglected her for the association of female friends and she stated that he constantly boasted of his conquests of other women. In addition to the wife sought to be restored to her former name of Fleids, she was represented by Attorney W. L. Dickey.

Offered for Probate

A will executed on August 28, 1918, by the late Milton G. McHugh, well known Eleventh street grocer, who died recently at his home in this city was filed for probate Monday in the office of the probate court.

Filed for Probate

A will left by Mrs. Elizabeth Stark of Twelfth street, who died March 23, 1921, was filed Monday for probate. The will was executed Jan. 6, 1914.

Another Dollar Sale of Silverware for Tuesday

Our one dollar sale of silverware, held during our Anniversary event, was so popular that we have decided to conduct another one tomorrow. The merchandise offered is of good grade plated ware, is good looking and you are sure to get a lot of service from it. At one dollar the following are real bargains.

Choice \$1.00

SIX TEA SPOONS
THREE DESSERT SPOONS
FOUR COFFEE SPOONS
THREE SOUP SPOONS
ONE BERRY POON
THREE FLAT TABLE FORKS
TWO TABLE KNIVES
TWO INDIVIDUAL SALAD FORKS
TWO PICKLE FORKS
ONE LARGE COLD MEAT FORKS

ONE CREAM LADLE
ONE GRAVY LADLE
THREE BUTTER SPREADERS
ONE CHILD'S THREE-PIECE SET
ONE PIE SERVER
THREE FRUIT KNIVES
ONE JELLY SERVER
ONE CHEESE SERVER
ONE SET OF BUTTER KNIFE AND SUGAR SHELL

Special Sale of Boy's
Tom Slade Books
at Only 39c

A Tom Slade book will interest a boy every time. They are good, wholesome, exciting and interesting books for boys. The regular price of these is 65c, but for a short time only we offer the following titles at only 39c each.

TOM SLADE OF BLACK LAKE.
TOM SLADE WITH THE FLYING CORPS.
TOM SLADE ON A TRANSPORT.
TOM SLADE ON THE RIVER.
TOM SLADE WITH THE BOYS OVER THERE.
TOM SLADE WITH THE COLORS.
TOM SLADE, MOTORCYCLE DISPATCH BEARER.

Third floor

MANLY M. E. CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday morning, May 15, at 10:15 o'clock, the Knights of the Golden Eagle will hold their annual meeting.

The Rev. T. M. Hare will be the speaker at Manly at 7 p.m.

The Anderson Bros. Co.

church service at the Manly Church. The pastor will deliver the sermon.

Next Sunday will be Anti-Saloon

League field day in Scioto county.

The Rev. T. M. Hare will be the speaker at Manly at 7 p.m.



Their Medicine Chest For 20 Years

IT is characteristic of
fathers and grandfathers to collect
old and queer things, to look
back over the days that are gone
and thoughtfully live them over.

I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently
thinking of the old days, and
of the things we collected. I was right,
and that user of Nature's Remedy is a
family medicine, even though he may have
used it for twenty years, never
used it for twenty years, never
had it in his medicine chest.

My knowledge of medicine and the
results of its use in my own family and
among my friends, before I ever offered it
for sale, caused me to have great faith in
the value of Nature's Remedy.

And now I find myself nearing the age
when I must bow to the inevitable and go
to another life, my greatest pleasure is to
sit each day and read the letters and
the cards and the notes that their main fault
was not that they did not take the bowls,
but that their action was too violent and
violent and spasmodic, that they were
not thorough enough in their action, some
simply acting on the upper or small intestine,
others on the large intestine, and that they
lower or large intestine, and that they
almost invariably produced a habit re-
sistant to the fact that they were
not thorough enough in their action.

For many years while I was perfecting my
formula I studied and investigated the
laxatives and cathartics and the
different kinds of bowls and oil and
other things, and I found that Nature's
Remedy for ten, fifteen and twenty years
and how they and their children and
grandchildren had been benefited by it.

My knowledge of medicine and the
results of its use in my own family and
among my friends, before I ever offered it
for sale, caused me to have great faith in
the value of Nature's Remedy.

After experimenting with hundreds of
different compounds, I at last perfected the
formula that is now known as Nature's
Remedy, which I truly believe to be
superior to all others.

Arthur Lewis, Pres.
A. H. LEWIS MEDICINE CO.,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

RIVER NEWS

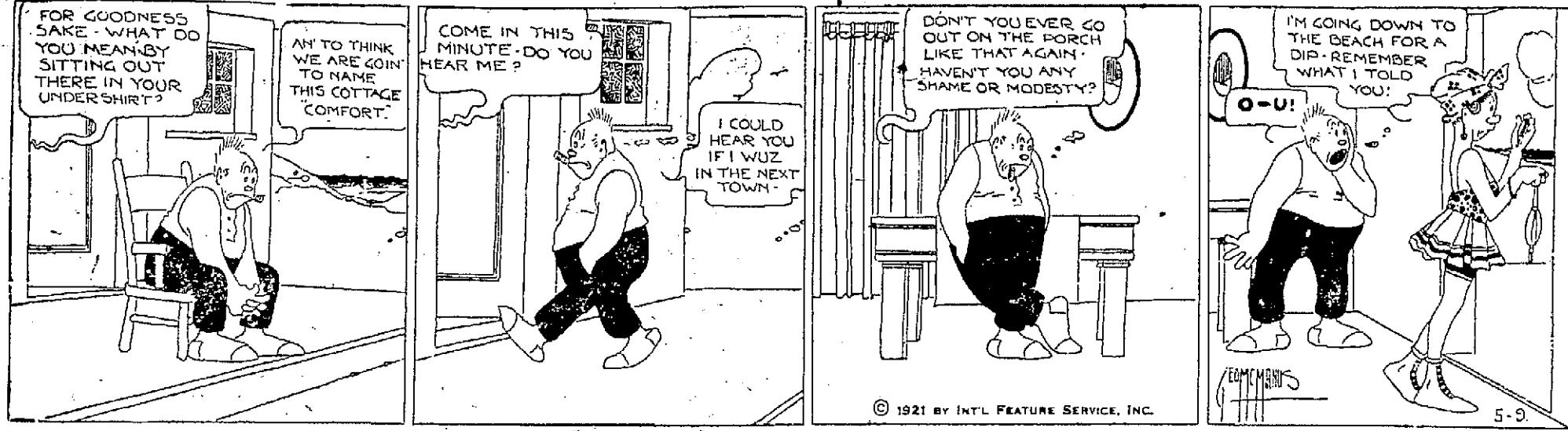
The Ohio river registered a stage of
243 feet Monday morning when the
stream continued falling.

The Cible departed at 6 a.m. for
Cincinnati and the General Wood
passed down at 7 a.m. bound for the
Quincy City.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE, Portsmouth, Ohio.

NR TO-NIGHT—
Tomorrow Alright
Get a 25¢ Box

BRINGING UP FATHER



BY GEORGE McMANUS

GOOD COOKS

GOOD Cooks sometimes cause as much INDIGESTION as BAD Cooks. Just SO with other people. A GOOD man often neglects to SAVE REGULARLY, just as a BAD man does. HE should have known better.

THE CITIZENS SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION CO.
Assets over \$2,000,000
6 Per Cent for 30 Years. Why take less?
Operated by

The Hutchins & Hamm Company
First National Bank Building

WHEELING MILL RESUMES

WHEELING, W. Va., May 9.—Two furnaces in the tube department of the Wheeling Steel & Iron Company's Bessemer plant resumed operations Monday morning, giving work to about 1,000 men. This mill, a subsidiary of the Wheeling Steel Corporation, has been idle since December 18. A wage cut from 40 cents to 35 cents an hour for laborers was put in effect and skilled workmen received at a like ratio. Announcement was made from Steubenville last night that the eight mills of the Laclede Iron Works, also a subsidiary of the Wheeling Steel Corporation, will resume operations in full May 16. These mills have been idle since December. A thousand men will be given employment.

Printers Elect Officers

Portsmouth Typographical Union No. 637 held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon, when the following officers were elected: Harry Heisel, First Vice President; Fred Remmerer, Second Vice President; Charles J. Flynn, Financial Secretary.

Tires Stolen; Two Arrested

Charged with breaking into Foster's garage and carrying away four Good-year tire tires. Wales Barnett, 40, and Wales Litterest, 18, were bound over to the grand jury in Squire Brown's court last week. When Mr. Foster discovered his garage he discovered the side door broken open and upon investigation, discovered the loss of the

four tires. He immediately sent word to the Columbus police, where the two men were captured. Marshal Robinson accompanied Mr. Foster to Columbus and they returned the men to this city where they now languish in the county jail. Both are former residents of this locality.—Waverly Republican Herald.

Ingrown Nail Turns Right Out

A few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrown nail relieves inflammation and pain and so eases the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail, that it can not penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally outward almost over night. "Outgro" is a harmless, antiseptic, manufactured for chiropodists. However, anyone can buy from the drug store a tiny bottle containing directions.—adv.

Body Arrives At Waverly

Phonograph Bargains

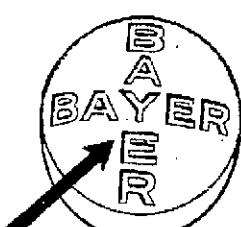
If you have the "cash," call at Bradford's Music Store, 824 Gallia. Some great bargains in Phonographs.

On Health Board

George A. Schenck of Waverly and Dr. C. H. Wilson of Pickett are the new members of the Pike County Health Board elected at a meeting of the Advisory Board last week.

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Beware! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, and for Pain. Handy boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell large packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacetocetester of Salicylic acid.

BRYAN TO SPEAK IN CAPITAL COLUMBUS, O., May 9.—William Jennings Bryan will speak here May 23, on "Democracy's Opportunity." The Jefferson Club, a local Democratic organization, arranged for the visit.

Caruso Re-engaged For Next Year

NEW YORK—Re-engagement of Enrico Caruso by the Metropolitan Opera Co. for next year announced.

Nervous People

That haggard, care-worn, depressed look will disappear and nervous, thin people will gain in weight and strength when Bistro-Phosphate is taken for a short time.

Fisher & Stretch guarantees it.

District Home Missionary Society Will Meet In Sciotosville May 12th

Question Box.
Dinner serve in church.
Afternoon Session—1:30
Devotions—Mrs. Winifred Stewart.
Solo—Mrs. R. G. Gilmore.
Evangelism—Mrs. Frank Appel.
Mite Box—Mrs. E. H. Blazer.
Our District Work—Miss Georgia

Chabot.
Solo—Mrs. Geo. Martin.
Stop the Leaks—Mrs. C. B. Foster
and Mrs. John Parker.
June 5th—Mrs. Effie Walker.

Roll Call and Sealing Delegates—
Mrs. Philip Pfarr.

Song—Home Missionary Hymn.

Reports of Delegates.

Reports of District Secretaries.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. C.

H. Tingel.

Children's Secretary—Mrs. U. S.

Crutinie.

Sale—Mrs. Sealy.

Treasurer's Report—Mrs. Albert

Chary.

Appointment of Committees.

Our Literature—Mrs. Sallie Waite.

Literature Rhymes—Miss Louella

Rhulman.

Memorial—Mrs. Albert Reiser.

Evening Session.

Deviotions—Rev. N. E. Butler.

Male Quartette.

Paginians—From "Darkness to

Light." Queen Esther Girls of Trinity

Collection.

Solo—Miss Helen Page.

Talk—Mrs. J. E. Walters.

Benediction.

MASSIE PUPILS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Massie school will give an entertainment in the High School Tuesday night.

The pupils are giving it to raise funds to buy a piano for the building.

More than 150 children will take part in plays, singing and dancing.

The costumes are elaborate and very attractive. Both pupils and teachers have worked hard and faithfully so the entertainment is sure to be successful.

It will be worth the price of admission—25¢.

The family of Tom Mustar in East Oak Hill is quarantined because of smallpox. Mrs. Mustar is the only one ill with the disease.

Frank Stemhorn, Jr., was out of school Friday because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Tope, sons Stacy and Lowell spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in Columbus.

Joseph Brothers have moved their ice cream plant from the building opposite the depot to part of the ice plant.

The new building of John Silvey's on West Main street is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy in a few weeks. It will be used as a barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shaffer spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer, at Kitchen.

Rev. John C. Jones is conducting a series of revival services at Hobart church.

Mrs. Len Thomas of Thurman spent a few days this week with her son, Henry, and family.

Mrs. R. T. Jones' guest, Mrs. Dave Evans, has returned to her home in Jackson.

Legion Meeting.

Kent-Metzler Post will hold its regular meeting Thursday, May 12.

Miss Margie Foster spent Wednesday with Mrs. Edward Heidorn (Emma L. Morgan) at Black Fork.

Whinifred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Crafter, is recovering nicely at Holzer Hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Morris Davis and daughter, Sara, were in Portsmouth, Wednesday.

Mrs. A. R. Shiers was hostess to

Just

WHISTLE

Wrapped in Bottles

Makes cloudy days bright—and bright days brighter.

Always the same over.



Whistle Bottling Co.
235-237 Second Street Phone 284

W. C. T. U. at her home Saturday afternoon. Owing to the inclement weather, the crowd was small.

Twyn

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Freeman are the proud parents of a pair of twins, who arrived at their home at Superior, No. 11, Friday, April 29. The boy weighed 8 1/2 pounds and the girl 9 1/2.

Celebrates 67th Birthday

Mr. Irene N. Edwards, proprietor of Hotel Edwards, was completely surprised Saturday evening when called to the dining room to find his family and a few intimate friends gathered in honor of his 67th birthday anniversary. Seated at the well-filled table were Mr. and Mrs. Tabitha Edwards and Moffet Edwards of Portsmouth, Mrs. R. N. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Davis (Ada Edwards) and daughters, Mary and Ruth, Misses Margaret, Stella and Kate Edwards, Mrs. Margaret N. Edwards, Wm. C. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Migray Bates.

Steve Thomas of Thurman was in town Friday.

Albert Miller is seriously ill at his home in Gulfin.

Mrs. Roy Cox of Hewitt's Fork was shopping here Friday.

Death—Rankins

Lola, 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. Luther Rankins, died at her home in Black Fork Tuesday, April 26, of pneumonia. Funeral at Black Fork church Thursday, with Rev. J. E. Dibert officiating. Burial at Warnecks cemetery.

State Leader Here

Mr. O. C. Croy, assistant state leader of the Boys' and Girls' Club work, attended the Teachers' meeting here last Saturday afternoon and delivered an excellent address.

Entertained

Miss Berne Davis delightedly entertained several of her young friends at her home west of town Wednesday evening. The evening was devoted to dancing. Those enjoying the affair were: Misses Margaret Jones, Dorothy Shaffer, Hattie Faulkner, Mary Gladys Jones, Sara Elizabeth Jones, Gwendolyn Jenkins, Anna Elizabeth Jones, Edgar Jaynes, Wendell Morgan, Edward Morgan, Hayden Shaffer, Joe Pastor and Edward (Olek) Jones.

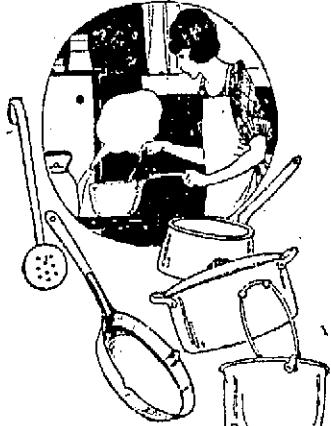
Revival At Clay

The revival services in progress at Clay church are doing a great deal of good in that community. George Jaynes, local preacher, is in charge of these meetings.

If you want to insure your car, or property of any kind, we would be pleased to do it for you. Office open evenings from 6 to 9 o'clock.

J. W. INMAN.

SPECIAL SALE Of Aluminum Ware All This Week



TEA KETTLE	SAUCE PANS	COLONIAL TEA KETTLE
5 quart size, was \$2.95. Sale price \$2.60	2 quart size, 60¢ value sale price ... 42¢	5 quart size, \$3.95 value, sale price \$2.39
MIRRO PRESERVING KETTLE	8 QUART KETTLE WITH LID	SAUCE PANS
8 quart size, \$3.45 value. Sale price ... 2.69	\$2.95 value. Sale price ... 2.52	6 quart size with lid, \$1.95 value. Sale price only \$1.10
5 PIECE COMBINATION COOKER	6 QUART KETTLE WITH LID	ALUMINUM SKILLET
Sale price \$1.86	\$2.95 value. Sale price ... 1.76	\$1.95 value. Sale price \$1.39
SPECIAL PRICES ON LINOLEUM	PIE PANS	PIE PANS
Sale Price \$1.50 to \$2.25 Yard	9 inch size 55¢ value, sale price ... 33¢	11 inch size, 75¢ value sale price 45¢

Discontinued Numbers

2 large lots of discontinued numbers in aluminum ware at greatly reduced prices, such makes as Wearever, Alladin, Vico, Blue Grass, Reliance and Universal.

Store Closed Thursday Afternoons

Marting's
PORTSMOUTH OHIO

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9x12 SEAMLESS BRUSSELS RUGS
Good quality, sale price \$22.50 to \$26.50

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Extra Quality, Sale Price \$32.50 To \$50.00

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Fine Quality

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In Brown, Green, Blue Patterns, Sale Price \$7.50

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9x12 WILTON VELVET RUGS
Sale Price \$7.50 to \$11.00

PRINTED BURLAP BACK FLOOR COVERINGS
Sale Price 75¢, \$1.00 Yd.

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Times Advertising Department:

MASONIC NOTICE

Regular meeting of Mt. Vernon
Chapter, Monday, May 9, at 7 P. M.
World

R. O. P. NOTICE
Regular meeting Magnolia Lodge,
115, Monday evening, May 9, 7:30.
Werk in the Esquire ranks.

WANTED

WANTED PEOPLE TO KNOW that
we paint and refinish cars at the
New Boston Garage.

5-8-21

WANTED — Package delivery and
general hauling. L. Deaton,
Phone 718-47.

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WANTED — Young men, women over
17, for Postal Mail Service, \$120
month. Examinations May. Ex-
perience unnecessary. For free par-
ticulars of instruction, write Mr.
Leonard, former Civil Service em-
ployee, 1006 Equitable Bldg., Wash-
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7-20

WANTED — Middle-aged lady to fam-
ily of two. Reference, 410 Court-
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WANTED — Buy Dead Skin Liniment
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Information, 305 Gay St.

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The Warner-Wall Trans. Co.
Phone 825. 23-17

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Goodyear System. Delivery ser-
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WANTED — Wall paper cleaned and
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Phone 1880-R. 14-17

WANTED — All kinds of plastering
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19-17

WANTED — Ladies! Try American
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Hair goods & specialty. 715 Chil-
licothe. Phone 2531. 4-6-17

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new. Work guaranteed. F. W.
Banesman. Phone 2230-L. 10-30-17

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Phone 325 Second St. Phone 1677-74.
3-17

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set St. 5-4-17

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aldson. Phone 718-14. 5-14-17

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Phone 1274-L. 9-5-17

WANTED — Experienced lady. The
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WANTED — Painter to do inside
work, a specialty. Carr & Belvin.
Phones 1040-Y and 1896-X.

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WANTED — Package delivery and
general hauling. 2
trucks. Phone 461-Y.

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WANTED — Middle-aged lady to fam-
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WANTED — Buy Dead Skin Liniment
for rheumatism, neuralgia, and lumbago.
Information, 305 Gay St.

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WANTED — Painter to do inside
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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, May 9—Moderate reductions attended the resumption of business on the stock exchange today. Motor shares again were most susceptible to bearish pressure, because of unfavorable trade conditions. Rubber specialists made further concessions in response to lower prices for those products. Minor steel's as well as copper, leather and oils, opened fractionally under last week's final quotations. Investment rails showed no definite trend and railway equipments were dull. Exchange on London was firm, but leading continental rails reacted substantially from recent high levels.

On the very small accumulation of buying orders over the weekend, shorts were encouraged to extend their operations soon after the opening. Successive drives were made against the motors and their subsidiaries at losses of 2 to 3 points. Oil fell 1 to 2 and independent steels reacted to the same extent, while equipments, shipments, textiles and chemicals contributed to the decline in more moderate measure. High grade rails especially Canadian Pacific, Louisville and Nashville, Reading and Alton were disposed to ignore the break in industrial specialties, but finally cancelled their gains of 1 to 2 points. On the exchange call money opened at 6½ percent, but outside loans at 6 percent were made.

Rails and industrials moved in opposite directions during today's stock market session. The former added to last week's advances, while the latter was subjected to renewed pressure. Sales approximated 900,000 shares.

The closing was irregular.

NEW YORK STOCKS
CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 41½.
American Can 31.
American Car and Foundry 128½.
American Locomotive 90.
American Smelting and Refining 41½.
American Smurfit Tobacco 71½.
American T. & T. 108.
American Copper 41½.
Asthma 54.
Baldwin Locomotive 90½.
Baltimore and Ohio 41½.
Bethlehem Steel 18½.
Central Leather 35%.
Chesapeake and Ohio 64½.
Chicago, Mich. and St. Paul 30.
Coca Products 74½.
Crombie Steel 82.
General Motors 35.
Great Northern Ore Cts 20½.
Goodrich Co. 30.
Mer. Marine pld 55%.
International Paper 62½.
Kennebec Copper 21½.
Mexican Petroleum 149.
New York Central 72½.
Norfolk and Western 99½.
Northern Pacific 70.
Pure Oil 35%.
Pennsylvania 36.
Reading 77½.
Rep. Iron and Steel 63½.
Sinclair Oil and Refining 27½.
Southern Pacific 75%.
Southern Railway 23%.
Studebaker Corporation 44½.
Texas Co. 40½.
Tobacco Products 53.
Union Pacific 122.
United States Rubber 75½.
United States Steel 83.
Utah Copper 54½.
Westinghouse Electric 48½.
Willys-Overland 8%.
Atlantic Gulf 41½.

CLOSING PRICES OF OHIO STOCK

COLUMBUS, May 9—Cities Service common 24½ @ 24½.
100 preferred 67 @ 67½.
Pure Oil common 35%.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, May 9—Wheat 1.55
6½.
Corn 61½ @ 65.
Oats steady 30 @ 41.
Rye, easier 1.35 @ 1.37.
Potatoes, Michigan 2.00 @ 2.25 per sack of 150 pounds; new Florida rose 1.80 @ 2.00; No. 500 @ 600; No. 3, 3.00 @ 3.50 per barrel.
Hay firmer 34.00 @ 20.25.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, May 9—Wheat cash and May 1.60; July 1.18½.
Corn 64.
Oats cash 40½.
Barley 70.
Rye, No. 2, 1.37.
Clover seed prime cash 13.50; Oct. 9.85; Dec. 9.70.
Timothy, prime cash (1918) 2.95; (1919) 3.00; (1920) 3.05; May 3.05; Sept. 3.30; Oct. 3.35.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, May 9—Wheat: May 1.85%; July 1.43%.
Corn: July 62½; Sept. 62½.
Oats: July 38½; Sept. 40.
Pork: May 17.00; July 17.25.
Lard: July 9.87; Sept. 10.20.
Ribs: July 9.95; Sept. 10.55.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, May 9—Renewal of bushel crop reports from the southwest gave strength to the wheat market today after a weak opening. Opening quotations, which varied from unchanged figures to 2½c lower, with May 1.89½ to 1.40 and July 1.13½ to 1.11, were followed by a moderate general setback, and then by a sharp rise well above Saturday's finish.

Corn duplicated the action of wheat. After opening May 9 off to the advance, including July 12½ to 61½, the market receded a little more and then scored gains all around.

The close was steady, at the same as Saturday's finish to 2½c higher, with July 62½.

Oats were governed by the course of other cereals starting May 9 at 2½c to 2c lower, with July 37½ to 38, and later making a general upward.

Strength in the hog market gave stimulus to provisions.

Closing prices were unsettled 2½c to 3½c net lower with May 1.85½ to 1.82½ and July 1.13½ to 1.13½.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CINCINNATI, May 9—Hogs: Receipts 6,000; active 20c to 25c higher.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—invalid's wheel chair. Good as new. Price reasonable. Phone 1339-R. 5-9-12

Double Header Is Divided

Saturday afternoon baseball teams representing Wheelersburg and South Webster high school clashed on the diamond and divided a double header. South Webster winning the first 4 to 2 and Wheelersburg winning the second 9 to 8.

By agreement the second game was to be a six inning affair but in the sixth the score was tied and it had to go another inning. Wheelersburg took the lead 4 to 2 in the first, but in the

heaviest 8½ @ 8½; packers and packers and butchers, medium and light shippers 8½; steers 4½ to 5½; heavy fat cows 6.00 @ 7.00; pigs 110 pounds and less 6.00 @ 8.50.

Cattle: Receipts 1,000; strong to 25c higher; steers good to choice 8.50 @ 9.25; fair to good 7.50 @ 8.50; common to fair 7.50 @ 7.50; heifers good to choice 8.00 @ 9.25; fair to good 7.00; cows, good to choice 6.00 @ 7.25; heifers 6.25 @ 6.00; calves 4.00 @ 5.00. Calves steady; good to choice 10.00 @ 10.50; fair to good 8.00 @ 10.00; common and large 5.00 @ 7.00.

Sheep: Receipts 650; steady; selected top 10.75 @ 11.00; good to choice 7.50 @ 8.00; fair to good 4.00 @ 5.00; common 2.00 @ 3.00; bucks 2.00 @ 3.00. Lambs steady; good to choice 12.00 @ 13.50; fair to good 11.50 @ 13.00; seconds 10.00 @ 11.00; common 8.00 @ 10.00; sheared 6.00 @ 10.50.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, May 9—Cattle: Receipts 16,000; butcher, stock, stockers and feeders, mostly 10 to 25c higher; choice long yearlings 9.20; top heavy steers 9.25; bulk beef steers 7.75 @ 8.50; butch fat steers 5.50 @ 7.00; bulls higher; largely 6.00 @ 7.00; calves lower; bulk vealers 8.00 @ 9.00.

Hogs: Receipts 27,000; mostly 10 to 25c higher than Saturday's average; lights and mediums well sold early; others slow; top 9.00; bulk 8.45 @ 8.80; pigs scarce 25 to 40c higher; bulk desirable 8.25 @ 8.50.

Sheep: Receipts 19,000; sheep and feeders lambs 25c higher; springs 50 choice woolled lambs top 11.75; bulk 11.00 @ 11.50; sheep top early 10.50; few here best not sold; choice California springs 12.00 @ 12.50; good 30 pound shorn wethers 7.25.

PRODUCE MARKET

CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, May 9—Butter: Extra in tubs 37½ @ 38; prints 35½ @ 39; extra firms 36½ @ 37; firsts 36½ @ 37; firsts 35½ @ 36; seconds 25½ @ 28; fancy dairy 20½ @ 28; packing stock 12 @ 16.

Eggs: Fresh gathered northern extras 28; extra firsts 21; Ohio firsts, new cases 26; old cases 25½; western firsts new cases 24½.

Oleomargarine: Pound prints, natural 22 @ 24; high grade of animal oils 25 @ 25½; lower grades 20.

Cheese: York state, new, 22 @ 23; old 25 @ 28; brick 20 @ 21; Limburger fancy 30; Swiss 35.

Live poultry: Live fowls 30 @ 32; roosters 18; broilers 40 @ 45.

Potatoes: Ohio and New York round white 1.65 @ 1.70 per 150 pound sack; Florida Hastings 8.50 @ 9.00 per barrel of 165 pounds; Texas and triumphs 4.25 @ 4.50 per ewt.

Sweet potatoes: Kiln dried 1.50 @ 2.00 per hamper.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, May 9—Butter unchanged; creamery extras 31; standards 29½; eggs higher; receipts 30.321 cases; firsts 22½ @ 22½; ordinary firsts 19 @ 20; at mark cases included 21 @ 22; standards 22½.

Poultry: Alive, unchanged; fowls 20; broilers 35 @ 45.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, May 9—Alcohol, denatured 45; gasoline tank wagon 25; 70 percent 36.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, May 9—The raw sugar market was steady early today. Sales by the committee at 37½c, cost and freight, equal 4.05 for centrifugal raw sugar futures were firmer. Refined was unchanged at 10 points lower with fine granulated now quoted at 6.30 @ 6.40.

Sugar futures closed steady; sales 2,950 tons; July 4.04; Sept. 4.09; Oct. 4.01; Nov. 3.93.

COTTON

NEW YORK, May 9—Spot cotton steady; middling 12.95.

Cotton futures closed barely steady; May 12.71; July 15.11; Oct. 13.66; Dec. 13.00; Jan. 14.02.

MONEY

NEW YORK, May 9—Call money firm; high 6½; low 6½; ruling rate 6½; closing bid 6½ offered at 6½; last loan 6½; bank acceptances 6.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, May 9—Liberty bonds closed: 32½s 89.00; first 4's 87.50; second 4's 87.20 bid; first 4½'s 87.76; second 4½'s 87.36; third 4½'s 90.76; fourth 4½'s 87.44; victory 3½'s 97.98; victory 4½'s 97.90.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, May 9—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 6; futures firm; July 6.61; Dec. 6.98.

Mrs. S. J. Wagner, herb medicine, 111 Market street, Portsmouth, Ohio, 97.

Saturday afternoon baseball teams fifth South Webster tied it up.

The teams used the following players:

South Webster, Lieve, c; Mosburger, p; Kunkle, ss; Bandy, 1st;

Scott, 2nd; Hanes, 3rd; O'Kallenbach, right; D. Kallenbach, m; Cook, left.

Wheelersburg — Conroy, Smith,

Munion, c; Hoffner, Smith, O. Craycraft, p; Smith, ss; O. Craycraft, 1st;

Rolf, 2nd; Tomlin, r; Tomlin, c; Craycraft, c; Hock, l.

WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Mother's Day was observed yesterday at the M. E. church. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and plants. Music was rendered by the Sciotoville orchestra. The following program was rendered:

Reading—Mrs. James Turner.

Piano solo—Miss Maurita Sikes.

Reading—Mrs. Mary Anderson.

Vocal duet—Misses Doris Moore and Helen Page, accompanied by Mrs. Horace Boeart at the piano.

The annual convention of the

Woman's Home Missionary Society will be held all day Thursday in the M. E. church. The Wheelersburg Home Missionary Society will be the assisting hostesses. The morning session will begin at nine o'clock.

Sherman Colegrove has returned to his home in Toledo after a short visit with friends here.

Mrs. King Gregory of Long Meadow has been ill with rheumatism but is better.

Mrs. S. A. Miller spent yesterday in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Brady and sons Lester and Foster and Miss Helen Sims of Portsmouth were the guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pollard are moving to their new home on Pine Creek which they recently purchased.

Miss Louise Wente, who was operated on Friday for the removal of tonsils and adenoids is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Roy Sampson and daughter Helen of Portsmouth spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Mill Allard.

Edward White of Trouton was the guest yesterday of friends here.

Harry Long has had his home repainted.

Charles Zwickert, who has been ill improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jda Blumett of New Boston.

Mrs. Margaret Smith and Miss Mary Smith were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sherman of Gallia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lemon and Miss Clara Enoy of Gallia avenue spent the day yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lemon.

WHEELERSBURG

The King's Herald of the M. E. church will give an entertainment at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. No admittance will be charged but a free will offering will be taken for missionary purposes. Everyone is urged to come early to get a seat. The following program will be rendered:

Opening—The Star Spangled Banner.

Devotional—Rev. H. A. Kirk.

Exercise—Birth of the Flowers, by six girls.

Song—A Thank You Prayer, by King's Herald.

Recitation—God Is Everywhere, by Ruby Pinson.

Duet—Kathleen Ehlhardt and Alberta Reining.

Song—Johnny Smoker, Boy Scouts.

Recitation—Grandmother's Garden, Hazel Barkley.

Exercise—Rose Bud Band, four little girls.

Recitation—Helping Mother, Virginia Reyley.

Pantomime—Blossom Day, by ten girls.

Song—

"REG'LAR FELLERS"

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BY GENE BYRNES

Mayor Found Drinking Coffee When Raid Made

DOVER, O., May 9.—Russell C. Bowers, county prosecutor, today asked Mayor Walter H. Schen of Dover, to resign because he found him in the home and soft drink restaurant of Jacob Fondaire when Sheriff Shonk and the prosecutor raided the place and found liquor Saturday night, the prosecutor said.

The prosecutor said the mayor was in a private room in the restaurant drinking coffee at the time of the raid.

Two affidavits against Fondaire were filed by the prosecutor this morning charging possession of and furnishing and selling liquor to the mayor. Fondaire will appear for trial this afternoon.

If Mayor Schen has not resigned by the time the case against Fondaire is disposed of, the prosecutor will prefer charges against him with Governor Davis Bowers, said.

DEAD MEN IN CONVENTION

COLUMBUS, O., May 9.—More than 1,000 delegates are in attendance at the 20th annual session of the Great Council of Ohio of the Improved Order of the Knights of Columbus.

They usually overcome such trouble promptly, easily and at little cost.

**Resinol****Saw Reed's Comet**

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 9.—Local astronomers today declared that they had seen Reed's comet with the naked eye. They said it can be seen on a clear night under the North Star.

Playing Safe.

Amelia—"I understand that Mr. Henry and his sweetheart had a quarrel." Jane—"Yes, but it is nothing serious. She is a prudish girl and wants to make sure that she can manage him when he is angry."

Story Stories.

COMING TO PORTSMOUTH, O.**Dr. Albert F. Snell**

Dr. Snell's Private Sanitarium of Cincinnati, Ohio, will be in

Portsmouth, Ohio,

at the Manhattan Hotel On Thursday, May 12th

One Day Only.

The doctor treats all Chronic Diseases and Deformities of men, women and children.

Many cases might be saved from a dangerous operation by going under the doctor's treatment.

All Diseases of Men, Women and Children Treated

Catarrh and Stomach diseases given special attention.

If you have catarrhal trouble go and be examined. The sick and afflicted should take advantage of the opportunity here offered. Go and have it settled in your mind. If your case is curable, he will tell you so frankly. Incurable he will give you his advice. No sick man or woman should fail to consult this specialist.

If you have Rheumatism, Nervousness, Dropsey, Swelling of the Feet or Hands, Liver Trouble, Heart Disease, Nervous Debility or any wasting disease or weakness, Sallow Complexion, Dizziness, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, Stomach or Bowel Trouble or Epilepsy, go and let Dr. Snell see you.

Blemishes, Blind, Skin and Scalp Diseases, Piles and Ruptures successfully treated.

Ladies

who suffer from Sick Headache, Melancholia, Skin trouble, special diseases, or having any deviations from health, caused by irregularities, weakness, or disease peculiar to women, should consult this specialist.

Ovarian or womb troubles treated with the knife. If you have been advised by any one to undergo a surgical operation for womb or ovaries difficulties, rupture or piles, do not listen to it and have your life endangered by the lance, knife or needle before consulting this specialist.

Old or Young Men

It matters not what your ailment may be, or how long standing, if your future health and happiness are at stake consult this doctor specialist.

It matters not what the ill may be. It matters not what discouraging reports may have been made from any direction. It matters not if you have been told that you are incurable. Go and consult this eminent doctor and if there is the finest thread upon which to hang a hope you will find hope there with the treatment that will lead you to health, contentment and happiness.

SPECIAL ATTENTION given to Chemical and Microscopical examination of Blood, Urine and Sputum and all patients suffering from Nervous and Mental complications.

Address all communications to

Dr. Albert F. Snell
3054 Wesley Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio.

Two Families Suffer Heavy Loss In Fire In The East End

Fire, thought to have been caused by rats or mice gnawing matches, caused \$30,000 damage to the Joseph Steagall, double frame, twelve room dwelling at 2015-2017 Fifth street, and occupied by Gilbert Kammer and J. A. Raike, who lost heavily in furniture. Sunday morning about ten o'clock the fire gained such rapid headway that the house was completely gutted. Kammer lost all of his household effects and clothing, saving only what the family had on at the time of the fire. He places his loss at \$2,000 without insurance. Raike lost all furniture in three bedrooms upstairs and places his loss at \$500 without insurance. Mr. Steagall has some insurance on the house but he stands to lose considerably as the house was just completely renovated inside and out.

Mrs. Kammer was in the front room of her part of the house when her attention was attracted to the middle room by smoke. She hastened to the room and opened a clothes press door, flames shooting out in her face. She told her young son to tell Mrs. Raike in the next apartment of the fire and the child attempted to carry out his mother's instructions but was so excited Mrs. Raike could not make out what he was trying to say.

When Mrs. Kammer opened the press door and the fire was given the necessary air to cause it to spread rapidly, Mr. Raike attracted by the screams of Mrs. Kammer, secured a wrench to turn off the gas at the meters but before he could accomplish this the flames were coming through the front room window and door on the Kammer side of the house. Neighbors assisted Mr. Raike in removing his household effects from his three rooms on the first floor but the fire burned so rapidly toward the roof that it was impossible to get the furniture out of the upstairs side of the Raike home.

The firemen of the East End and Hilltop companies responded to the alarm and they were soon on the scene with three streams of water. The flames had found their way to the attic by the time the firemen arrived and they had some difficulty in extinguishing the flames which were coming out the front and rear parts of the Kammer flat upstairs

and down through the roof. The fire broke through into the kitchen of the Raike flat and into the bed rooms upstairs through the ceiling. Blinds and curtains in the upper front room of the Raike flat were burned away but the wallpaper on the wall near the window was not even scorched.

John Raike, nephew of J. A. Raike, was asleep in the rear bedroom of the Raike apartment and was not awakened until the fire had cut off his escape by the only stairway. He got out of the flame filled house by climbing out onto the roof of the rear porch from where he was helped to the ground by his uncle.

The roof of the Frank Marshall while Mr. and Mrs. Raike and their seven children are busy looking for a home. Mr. Raike who was employed at the N. & W. shops has been out of work several months.

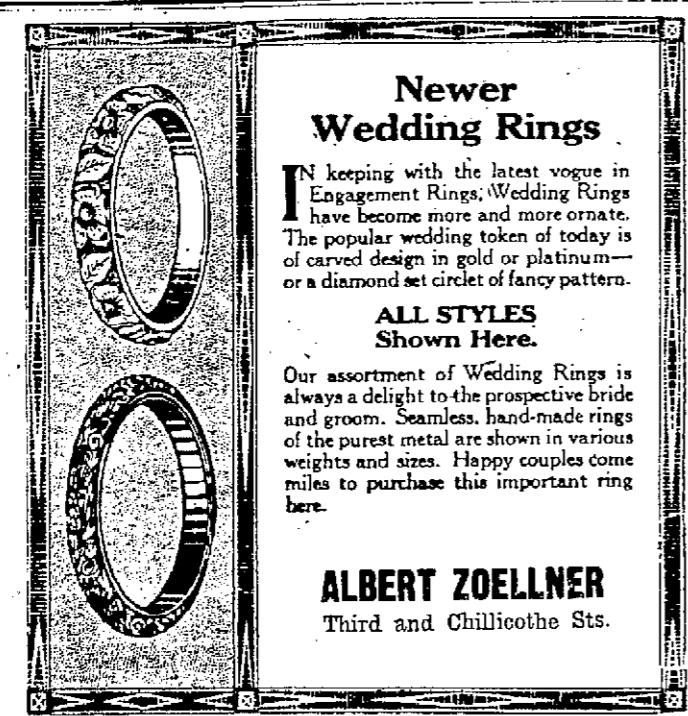
Newer Wedding Rings

In keeping with the latest vogue in Engagement Rings, Wedding Rings have become more and more ornate. The popular wedding token of today is of carved design in gold or platinum—or a diamond set circle of fancy pattern.

ALL STYLES Shown Here.

Our assortment of Wedding Rings is always a delight to the prospective bride and groom. Seamless, hand-made rings of the purest metal are shown in various weights and sizes. Happy couples come to purchase this important ring here.

ALBERT ZOELLNER
Third and Chillicothe Sts.



The Kammer family has had more than its share of trouble this past year. About a year ago Kammer while working at the N. & W. shops fell and broke his leg. Several weeks later a young son fell and broke a leg and within a few weeks Mrs. Kammer fell downstairs and broke an arm. Mr. Kammer is now working at the Washington hotel soft drink parlor. A collection was taken at the First Christian church Sunday night for Kammer and close to \$100 was received.

The Kammer family has found a home with relatives in the East End while Mr. and Mrs. Raike and their seven children are busy looking for a home. Mr. Raike who was employed at the N. & W. shops has been out of work several months.

Hazelbeek Will Insure You.

Derivation of April.
Authorities on derivation of words state that the word April, the name of our fourth month, was derived from the Latin verb, "aperio," I open, and that the month was so named because it is the time when the buds of trees and flowers open. If this were the case, it would make April singular among the months, for the names of none of the rest, as designated in Latin, have any reference to natural conditions or circumstances.

MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN EUROPE'S ROYALTY TO TOUR AMERICA THIS YEAR

MCQUIGG BRIGADIER GENERAL

COLUMBUS, O., May 9.—Colonel John R. McQuigg, of Cleveland, state commander of the American Legion, will be appointed brigadier general of the Ohio National Guard immediately. Adjutant General Florence announced today. This will make two brigadier generals for the new Ohio guard. F. D. Henderson, of Marysville, was appointed some time ago.

During the past month, Dr. Tate and Miss Maudlin made a thorough survey of the Trachoma situation in the city and county. They went through the schools, examining the eyes of all the children. 334 children were examined, thirty-two cases were discovered in the city and forty-five in the county. While this is a large and dangerous number, when one considers how contagious Trachoma is, it shows a very gratifying decrease as compared with the situation a year ago, the number affected, 77, being less than one per cent of the total.

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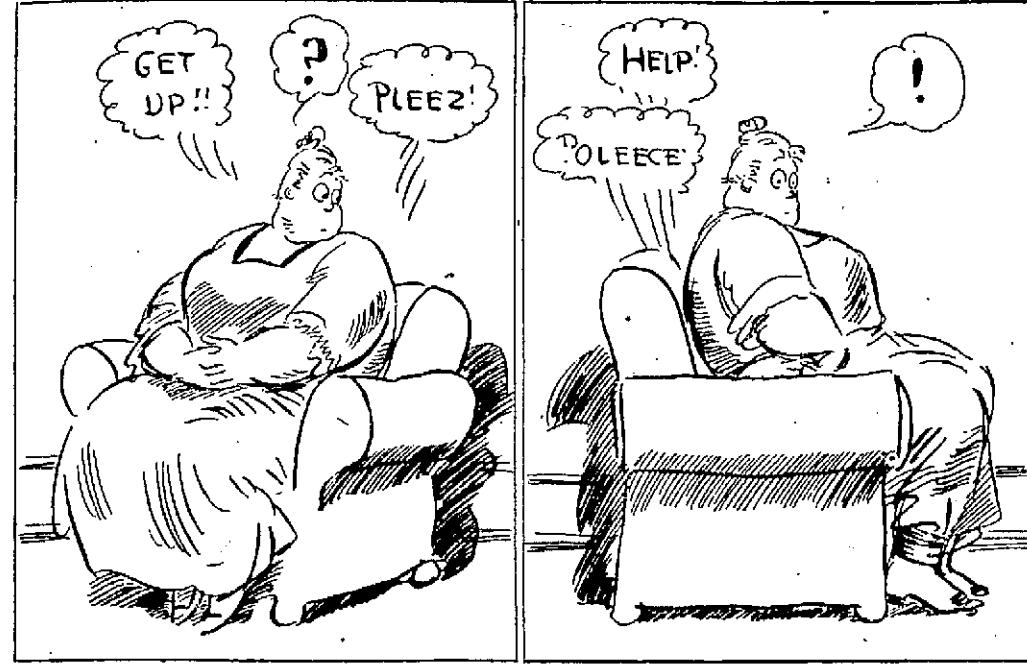
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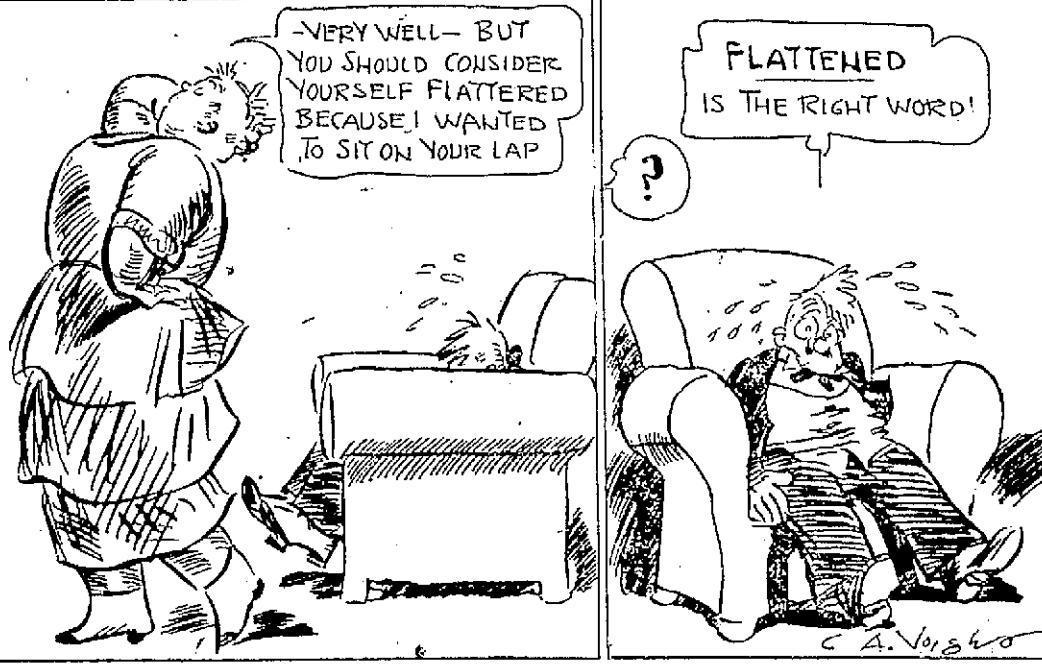
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FROM THE DEPTHS OF THE CHAIR

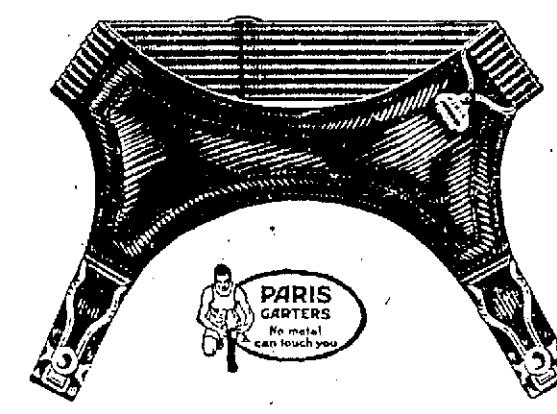


BY C. A. VOIGHT



DOUBLE GRIP

PARIS GARTERS
NO METAL CAN TOUCH YOU



INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE OPENS TONIGHT AT 6 BELLS

**Solvay Vs. Steel Plant,
Everything In Readiness
For The Grand Blow Off**

It looks off to the weatherman. A finer band could not have been served that is down on the bill of fare for tomorrow this Monday evening for the ushering in of the 1921 season of the Industrial Baseball League, which will open at the Seventeenth street yards at 6 bells tonight, when the Steel Plant will clash with the Solvay champions of 1920.

Everything points to a tremendous crowd at this evening's game and fans who desire a seat of vantage hereby advised that it will pay them to be there on time. Everything is in readiness. The grounds are in fine shape—the grand stand has been reconstructed and cleaned, while those who desire to witness the game from the outside lines will more than appreciate the arrangement above the right field foul line. A new backstop has been erected, while the score board in the right field ground has been moved outside the fair ground, but in good view at that.

The Steel Plant and Solvay players are anxious to get at each other. These two teams furnished some great battles last year, and are regarded as arch enemies by the fair populace. There will be quite a lot of new faces in both line-ups and it is said the teams are even stronger this year.

Those who have seen these two teams in action know there will be a struggle well worth seeing. Umpire Dick Neager with his assistant, John Weinberg, will handle the game from the viewpoint of arbiters and needless to add they will give their decisions in an impartial manner.

The word about season tickets: If you haven't secured yours, be in a position to buy one at the grounds this evening. President Dan W. Conroy will have several ticket sellers on the grounds and they have been properly coached in the art of salesmanship. Come out with your dollar for a season ticket will entitle you to attend every game and sit in the grand stand.

The game this evening will start promptly at 6 o'clock. Be there so you will not miss a single, solitary play.

WIN AND LOSE

The North Moreland Stars beat the Lincoln street team of this city yesterday, 3 to 2, the game being played on the Industrial league grounds.

In the afternoon the Stars lost to the White Sox of Wheelersburg, 9 to 7.

A Hitting Trick

Outfielder Billy Southworth hits the old ball no matter what team he's with. His latest average is .297 and many of his swats have been for extra bases.

PENNY ANTE



Shultz's Stars Defeated Cincinnati Strollers, 4-2

Before a fair sized crowd, Shultz's Stars triumphed over the Strollers of Cincinnati at Coney Island, Sunday afternoon in one of the most exciting games of this or any other season. The score was 4 to 2 and the game was thoroughly enjoyed by the large crowd present. There was never a time that either team had a clutch and both clubs played up to the limit at all stages, the locals winning in the closing innings because they had the necessary punch to deliver the timely blow. Mr. Frebus, new comer in these parts and a mountain of muscle, brain and brawn, pitched for the Stars and he did a mighty good job of it once he got under way. He was a little wild in the early innings and it looked rather dark and foreboding for the Stars. But once the newcomer got off to a fast start, he was all to the merry and came through in big shape. He was relieved in the last inning by Mr. Townsend, who soon disposed of the enemy and the Stars had rung up their second win of the season.

Eddie Roush, star outfielder of the Buckeyes, is hitting with a severe attack of sore throat. It kept him out of Saturday's game.

GETS HOME RUN

The St. Louis Cards woke up yesterday and beat Chicago, 9 to 6. McHenry kept up his slugging and poled a home run.

Kenova Beaten

The Russell, Ky., team yesterday beat the fast traveling Kenova team, 12 to 5. The game was witnessed by a large crowd in Kenova.

HITTING .326

Outfielder McHenry is hitting at a good clip for the St. Louis Cards, his latest batting average being .326.

Dilhoefer of the same team is hitting less than .200.

PRACTICE GAME

Tonight on the York Park diamond, the Ohio State Life Insurance Company's nine will play a practice game with the Merchants' Team in the Municipal League which opens next Monday. Each team will practice two nights this week with two games on the diamond each week.

All in all the game was all that could be desired, and the fine crowd present demonstrated the fact that the fans appreciate the efforts of Manager Shultz to give them high class baseball.

On next Sunday the champions of Camp Sherman will be the attraction at Coney Island. Arrangements are being perfected to have the American Legion present, and to show the visitors the time of their lives. The score:

CINCINNATI AB R H D P A E
Wissel c 3 1 1 3 0 0
Sibley rf 4 0 1 1 0 0
Cook, ss 4 0 0 2 2 1
A. Berg, tb 4 1 2 1 0 0
W. Berg, p 4 0 2 0 2 0
Bishop, lf 3 0 0 0 0 0

Reds Beat The Pirates

Yesterdays Results
New York, 6; Brooklyn, 2; Pittsburgh, 9; Cincinnati, 1; St. Louis, 9; Chicago, 6.

**How They Stand
American League**

Team W L Pct

Brooklyn 13 7 .560

New York 12 6 .632

Chicago 9 9 .490

Cincinnati 9 13 .409

Boston 8 12 .294

Philadelphia 5 12 .250

St. Louis 4 12 .250

Yesterday's Results

Chicago, 3; Cleveland, 17; Philadelphia, 5; New York, 4; Boston, 4; Washington, 37.

National

Brooklyn Second Place

Brooklyn, May 9.—Brooklyn regained second place from New York Sunday by defeating the Giants, 17 to 6.

Although hit in every inning, Mitchell succeeded in holding the visitors in check. Mitchell registered his only strike-out when he fanned King in the eighth with the bases full and two out. Griffith made a home run off Barnes in the 8th. The score:

NEW YORK AB R H D P O A
Burns, if 5 1 2 0
Baueroff, ss 3 0 3 5
Frisch, b 4 1 5 6
Young, rf 3 1 2 0
Kelly, tb 3 1 9 1
King, c 4 1 2 0
Bupp, ss 4 0 6 1
Snyder, c 3 3 0 2
Gaston, c 1 1 0 0
Barnes, p 2 1 0 0
Ryan, p 0 0 0 0
**Paskert 0 1 0 0

Totals 30 1 7 27 11 0

*One out when winning run was scored.

Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Two base hits—Tierney, Bohne, Schmidt, Roush.

Stolen bases—Maranville, Sutshaw, Hargrave, Adams.

To Fight In Columbus

COLUMBUS, May 9.—Bob Martin and Bill Breman, well-known heavyweights, will appear here in separate bouts within a short time. It was announced today. The opponents and the dates of their appearances have not been selected. It was said.

Total 31 10 21 15

Indians Get 20 Hits, 17 Runs

CLEVELAND, May 9.—Cleveland made it three out of four from Chicago, winning Sunday's game 17 to 3.

The three Chicago pitchers were hit hard. Hale pitched brilliantly and made three hits, a single, double and triple, driving in four runs. First

five times up, hitting into a double play his sixth time at bat. Score:

CHICAGO AB R H D P O A
Burns, if 5 1 2 0
Johnson, ss 2 0 1 1
McLellan, 3b 2 0 0 0
Mulligan, 3b 4 1 0 1
Collins, 2b 4 1 3 4
Hooper, if 4 2 0

Totals 31 10 21 15

Browns Win Easily

ST. LOUIS, May 9.—St. Louis hit three

Detroit pitchers hard Sunday and won

an easy victory 16 to 8. The Tigers

hit Palmero, also, but the only head

but off the Britons proved to be

much of a handicap. The score:

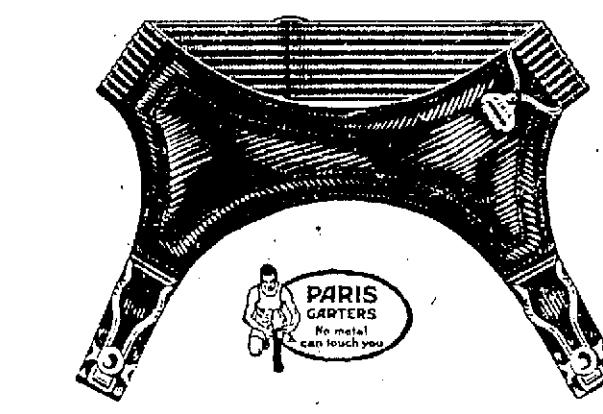
DETROIT AB R H D P O A
Dobie, 2b 3 1 3 1
Bush, ss 3 1 0 0
McNamee, if 5 4 1 0
Adams, c 3 1 0 0
Leonard, p 1 0 0 1
Hollings, p 1 0 1 1
Hooper, if 4 0 0 1

Totals 30 7 27 14 2

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P. H. S. INTERCLASS MEET THIS WEEK END

This Thursday or Friday there will be an inter-class track meet with P. H. S. track athletes taking part. Coach

McComb is busy making final arrangements for the track contest which is to be held at the Flinlay street ball park.

All Stars Drop Two Games

Manager W. N. Gableman and his ball team arrived home late Sunday night where they dropped both games in which they participated taking a sound licking at Ward on Saturday when they were defeated 11 to 0 but in the Sabbath engagement with Watt Powell's aggregation was a tight struggle in which the home team emerged victorious after nine exciting rounds. The score was 4 to 2.

Coffield, former Ohio state

leaguer, pitched for Ward and he was opposed by Lewis and Boughman who twirled the Sunday contest at Charlestown which was marred by an accident when Manager Watt Powell, instilling into Ward and sustained a fractured right leg.

The boys had a fine trip and were greeted at both places with large crowds and they were given fine treatment.

The Ward team will play here on June 5.

Falk, if 4 2 2 0
Strunk, if 4 1 10 1
Schalk, c 2 0 0 2
Varyan, c 1 1 3 0
Kerr, p 1 0 0 1
Fournier, p 2 1 12 7
McHenry, p 4 1 12 0
Totals 32 9 24 12
CLEVELAND AB R H D P O A
Flack, c 4 3 0 0
Holtzclaw, ss 5 1 2 0
Terry, 2b 4 1 12 0
Grimes, 1b 3 0 0 1
Mason, 3b 3 0 1 4 0
Cunningham, r 3 0 0 1
Spence, p 4 0 0 4 0
Totals 32 9 27 15
CHICAGO AB R H D P O A
Falk, if 4 3 0 0
Holtzclaw, ss 5 1 2 0
Terry, 2b 4 1 12 0
Grimes, 1b 3 0 0 1
Mason, 3b 3 0 1 4 0
Cunningham, r 3 0 0 1
Spence, p 4 0 0 4 0
Totals 32 9 27 15
McDermit, q 0 0 0 0 0 0
O'Farrell, c 0 0 0 0 0 0
Giants, 1b 0 0 0 0 0 0
York, p 0 0 0 0 0 0
Two base hits—Keiser, Foster, Robertson, X.
Sacrifice hits—Keiser, Foster, Robertson, X.
Stolen bases—Holtzclaw, Elliott, Foster, McDermit, q.
Home runs—McHenry, Flack.

McHenry, p 4 3 0 0
Totals 41 19 27 10
x-Batted for Leonard in ninth
Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 3
ABR. PO A
Tobin, rf 5 2 2 0
Varyan, c 6 2 11 2
Gerber, ss 6 2 12 0
Williams, if 4 1 2 0 2
Sister, 1b 6 3 7 0
Jacobson, cf 4 3 1 0 0
McNamee, 3b 4 3 1 0 0
Lee, 2b 3 2 1 4 0
Billings, c 4 2 2 0 0
Palmers, p 4 2 0 2 0
Totals 41 19 27 10
x-Batted for Leonard in ninth
Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Detroit 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 2 1 8
St. Louis 1 0 2 3 0 0 2 0 2 16
Two base hits—Cobb, 2, Almquist, Sister, Jacobson, McNamee.
Three base hits—Cobb, Veatch, Lee, Sister

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THE SOUNDEST PHILOSOPHY

THERE isn't any principal country in Europe that hasn't any better roads than have the United States.

The United States spends more for road construction than all the principal countries in Europe.

Then why hasn't America the better roads, especially when it constructs them out of the best and most permanent material?

The answer and the explanation are so very simple.

Whenever Europe spends a dollar for a new road it puts aside fifty cents for upkeep.

America expends millions for roads and it doesn't lay aside a cent for repairs.

We go out here in Scioto county and invest hundreds of thousands of dollars laying down magnificent highways. There is a fiction that when we do this the state will keep them in repair.

But does it?

Not that anyone knows, not at least with the promptness that the repairing system, if it is to produce the best results, calls for. Repairing to be effective should be done at once, in fact should be continuous. For no where does the law, a stitch in time saves nine, neglected apply so aptly, so inexorably and disastrously as in the maintenance of roads. Yet what do we see, repairs constantly and continuously put off and neglected. A spring breaks forth under a hill side road. Is an outlet made for it at once, and the road bed supported? No, it seeps and spreads until winter, when it freezes, still unheeded when spring comes, it melts and bursts its way out, tearing a large section of brick with it and there, the havoc it wrought, remains unheeded until autoists have hurled enough obstructions over it to keep hordes a-blazing for thousand years.

It is just the same way with each division, nation, state and county; they heed not at all the supreme matter of insistent and persistent repair, not when the weather gets suitable, not next week, but today, this hour.

Per example: There are a couple of nasty depressions on a newly constructed culvert, about six miles from town, that have been there for three weeks. They have cost hundreds of dollars in wrenching and wear of cars, and unreckonable discomfort, yet, it would take ten minutes to fill them up, the necessary gravel is lying within a foot of the depressions.

Aye, Europe's road philosophy is the soundest. It isn't all in the building, the chief thing is maintaining after once built.

ONE POINT OF VANTAGE

OFTEN, though not quite so frequently as of yore, one hears that Europe has a better way of doing this and that, but there is one point at which America stands uncontestedly superior and that part is in the matter of an administration's contemptuous disregard of what the other side thinks.

Here is the German government resigning because it made an impossible appeal to President Harding, to find it rejected, as a matter of course.

Any half informed person knew before the proposal was put before him, that the President would have to turn it aside. Why, they must have all thought so in Berlin because they perpetrated the unpardonable diplomatic offence there of publishing the terms of the proposal before they could reach Washington. Still when an adverse reply came the whole cabinet threw up its job. It's stupid. However, if it were not the rule in European administrations to do just this same thing, it would come with no surprise from Berlin. Ever since its formation the alleged German republic has shown a distinct incapacity to grasp the situation as it is. Obsessed with the unutterable obsession that Germany could do no wrong and therefore its part in the war was right, it has "monkeyed" with the other nations on the assumption that they would either admit their own error or else were so dense they could take no offence and tolerate forever.

She is apparently unable to grasp that whether she was right or wrong is no longer important. The supreme fact is that she was defeated, her enemies have the temer to impose the penalty and what is more important, they have the power to enforce it. No one finds fault with her reluctance to pay, but that her enemies and the whole world besides is utterly losing patience with the miserable manner in which she hesitates and palters.

So the ridiculous farce of her cabinet resigning under the circumstances, does get her anywhere else than to harsher general judgment and more inflexibility on the part of those whose special mission it is to fix the penalties. That's where the American way shows better. It holds on and hopes for a more favorable day.

Well, did you ever, the country is quite officially told that President Harding is beginning to show considerable air of wear and worry. Because of an inundation of job hunters; no, but because of a too common disposition shown by congress to French upon executive prerogatives. And the same which shows we are all cast in a common mold.

Score one for the women. Fifty of them called upon the mayor of St. Louis and demanded that he stop booze selling and gambling. But they didn't stop there. They gave him actual facts and pointed to where the evidence of the alleged offenses could be secured. In other words they knew what they were complaining about and had "the goods" to show for it.

There is a future for the tailor who designs a hip pocket that does not bulge.

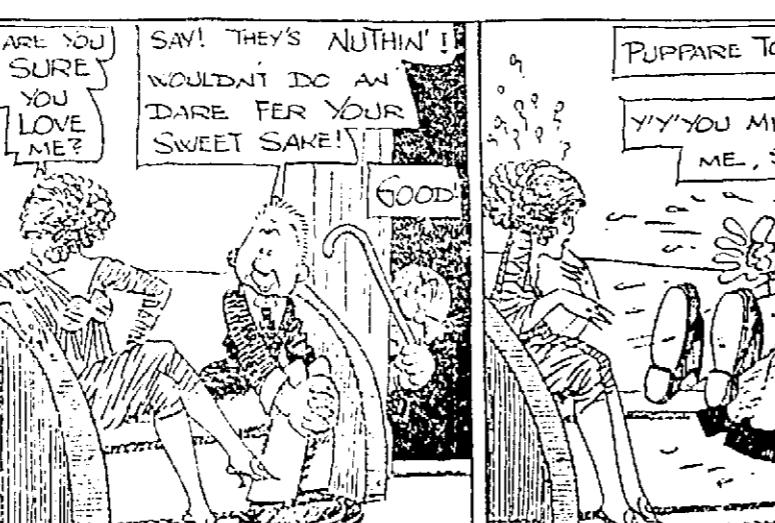
There never has been any monopoly on acting foolishly in business or in love.

Most persons would rather see a tramp wielding a pick than trying to work on their emotions.

POLLY AND HER PALS



Pa's Preparing To Prove It



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Q. Kindly inform me as to the meeting of a Congressman-at-Large, F. N. C.

A. After each census, Congress divides upon the basis of apportionment of representatives to inhabitants. The various State Legislatures make their own apportionments as to districts, but are liable to have the states entirely distributed, or to have one or more Representatives-at-Large.

Q. When was the first medical journal published in this country? R. K. A.

A. The first real American medical journal was the "Medical Repository" which appeared in 1797 and was discontinued in 1824. In 1799 a journal was published entitled "A Journal of the Practice of Medicine and Surgery in the Military Hospitals in France," but this consisted entirely of transactions from the French journals of military medicine.

Q. What percent of forest fires are caused by lightning? A. S. V.

A. A survey of forest fires for five years shows that 9.8 percent of such fires are known to be caused by lightning.

Q. How many books are there in the Bible? L. M. C.

A. In the Douay Version of the Roman Catholic Bible there are 46 books in the Old Testament and 27 books in the New Testament; in the Protestant Bible there are 29 books in the Old Testament, and 27 books in the New Testament.

Q. Is there an unnecessary waste of gasoline by operators of automobiles? C. C. G.

A. The Bureau of Mines says that the great majority of motor cars and trucks are operated on rich mixtures suitable for maximum power, but very wasteful from the standpoint of gasoline economy. The average motor car carburetor is set for winter operation and not changed in summer. A leaner mixture in summer time would result in a great saving of gasoline.

Q. How can signs be eradicated? L. R.

A. The Department of Agriculture says that the best remedy for signs is air-slashed lime. It should be sprinkled over plants and scattered about the garden. When the lime gets on the signs they throw off so much lime that they become weakened and die. A strip of oak or wood ashes will stop signs out of a garden. All rotten wood and rubbish that may harbor them should be cleared away.

Q. How many sailors are in the Navy? A. G. K.

A. On April 15th, the strength of the Navy included 11,524 officers and 120,365 men; the Marine Corps 1,037 officers and 21,543 men; and the Nurse Corps of 467.

Q. In referring to scandals, etc., why does one speak of them as "nine days wonder"? C. A. T.

A. This expression is thought to have been first used in reference to the 9 days during which Lady Jane Grey was styled Queen of England. Some authorities believed it to refer to the period between the birth and opening of the eyes of puppies, and there is an old proverb to this effect. "A wonder lasts nine days, and then the puppy's eyes are open."

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